Creeds Elementary School Senior Reading Buddies Needed

With the new school year already started, Creeds Elementary School is gearing up to resume their Senior Reading Buddies program. Anne Horsley, CES Reading Specialist, will hold a training and kick off meeting on **Monday, September 23 at 9:30 a.m.** at the school for all interested volunteers. This is a special mentoring opportunity that provides valuable help to the students. Several of our "members" have been reading buddies in past years and have shared that it was a wonderful experience for them. You would provide once a week assistance for only an hour as a volunteer, so please consider signing up.

Benefits Counseling Wednesday, Sept. 25 1 - 4 pm

Senior Services' (our Area Agency on Aging) representative, Bonnie Dozier, will see you 1:1 at SRC by appointment only. If you need her help with Medicare questions and other resources and services for seniors, call SRC at 385-2175 to sign up for a free session. A reservation is required.

Take advantage of this convenient resource that can help you:

- Apply for Medicare
- File Medicare claims and resolve billing issues
- Choose a Medicare Advantage plan
- Choose a Medigap (Medicare Supplement) plan

- Understand your Medicare premiums
- Check your eligibility for assistance with Medicare cost and assist with applications
- Find other resources through Senior Services

Farmers Market Hoedown Schedule

These free outdoor concerts are held at the Farmers Market (at the corner of Princess Anne and Dam Neck Roads) every Friday night from 7 - 10 p.m. They perform, rain or shine. Bring your own chair or blanket and enjoy the great music.

- Sept. 6 Dallas Band
- Sept. 13 New City Sound
- Sept. 20 The Long & Short of It
- Sept. 27 Timeline

Neptune Festival Senior Gala Wednesday, Sept. 4 7 - 10 pm Virginia Beach Convention Center

Don't settle for another night of Bunco or Bridge. Dust off those dancing shoes and head out for a night of big band sounds by Glen Boswick and the Sound of Swing Orchestra, delicious food, and of course, a visit from the King.

Don't forget to foxtrot your way to the gorgeous buffet laid out in case you manage to work up an appetite throughout the evening. Dinner? Dancing? Cocktails? Oceanfront? What more could you ask for